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ed.

BALL GAME—Strathmore
vs. Gleichen at 6:30.

COMING EVENTS

Under the auspices of the Women's
Institute a very instructive lecture
will be given by Miss Helen Anderson
on "Home Nursing" in the Union
Church, July 12th, at 2 p.m. Miss
Anderson is a graduate of Vancouver
Hospital, and has been with the public
health department for four years, also
been engaged in school instruction
work in Alberta for four years. There
will be a special feature in the
lecture of the opportunity of hearing
Miss Anderson.

STAMPEDE EDITION

Next week's issue of the Stan-
dard will be a special Stampede
Edition. Local business men
should therefore get busy right
now on a snappy ad for that
week.

Aim of Moderation League of Alberta

The Moderation League of
Alberta in the campaign now
opened seeks the cooperation of
all citizens of Alberta who
believe that good government
comes by gaining the consent
of the people, and their hearty
support in the enforcement of
law.

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operation of the present Liquor
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strated beyond question that
there is an ever increasing
number of the citizens of Al-
berta who are using liquor
as a beverage and this prac-
tice gives rise to the ever in-
creasing and destructive tol-
lages which have accumulated
millions which should have
gone into the hardiest
treasures of Alberta.

The Moderation League of
Alberta seeks to be of service
to the people of Alberta in
maintaining the place of the
government of Alberta in control
of the sale of liquor and re-
venue, and to the people.

Successful Sports At Langdon

Favored by good weather there was
a large attendance at the sports held
in Langdon on Dominion Day under
the auspices of Langdon I.O.O.F. The
various events were all well con-
tested.

In the bucking contest Dick Con-
grave, Cheadle took first prize, and
Pete Windemere second. Congrave's
horse rolled over on his side after com-
ing out of the chute, placing his rider's
leg, but when the horse came up Con-
grave stayed on his back and remain-
ed until the animal was through buck-
ing. Afterwards he had to be assisted
off the horse, having injured his ankle.
A good ball game was witnessed
between Calgary Capitals and Lang-
don, the Calgary team winning by 6-3.
Some of the other events resulted as
follows:

Free-throw horse race, 1. Alex Martin;
2. Anderson, Dalroy.
Ladies Free for All, 1. Miss Doolittle,
Shepard; 2. Miss Conner, Dalemead;
Boys' Pony Race, 1. Gordon Brown,
Langdon; 2. Archie Miller, Cheadle;
Novelty Race, 1. Elmer Hartell,
Cheadle.
Barrel Race, 1. Archie Miller, Cheadle;
2. Elmer Hartell.
Girls' Pony Race, 1. Nettie Copeland,
Auto Parade, 1. W. Winters; 2. Geo.
Winters.
Wrestling, 1. Elmer Hartell, 1. Conner
and 2. Elmer Hartell.
Best Bucking Horse, W. Winters.
Shedding Pony Race, 1. Frankie Con-
nell, Cheadle.
Dick Congrave caught the greasy pig.
The dance held in the evening drew
a large crowd and was very enjoyable.
Miller's orchestra supplied the music.
The amount realized over expenses
was more than \$200, and will be ap-
plied to paying off the debt on the
hall.

Electrifying The C.P.R.

A dispatch from Winnipeg says:
"A start on the actual work of elec-
trifying sections of the Canadian
Pacific railways will be made next year,
according to the Winnipeg Tribune,
quoting 'those closely informed.' D.
C. Coleman, representative of western
railways, said yesterday, that traffic de-
mands and financial conditions would
determine largely when a start would
be made.

Mr. Coleman is quoted as saying
that surveys of the water power avail-
able on the Columbia river in the
vicinity of the main line are now be-
ing carried out by the company, and
that surveys for the line being were
continued to the Columbia."

It was rumored some time ago that
a project was on foot to electrify that
portion of the railway between Medi-
cine Hat and Calgary, the power be-
ing derived from the Bassano Dam.

Carseland Wins Game At Bow Bridge

Wednesday evening's ball
game at Bow River was won
by Carseland against Strath-
more by a 7-6 score. Strath-
more had four runs ahead
up to the fourth inning, but
a costly error at second base
made two runs for their op-
ponents. Home runs pitched for
Carseland and Loucks for
Strathmore.

THE VOTE IN MANITOBA

On July 13th, 1923 the question of
the sale of beer and light wine in
hotel dining rooms of the Province
of Manitoba will be a vote and re-
sults of the same are said to be in
doubt.

Dempsey Is Still Champ.

In the world's heavy-weight championship bout,
staged at Shelby, Montana, Dempsey today won the
judges decision over Tommy Gibbons, contender for
the heavy-weight title, in a fifteen round contest.
Up to the time of the fight prospects of a bout
were very disappointing. The final instalment of
the Dempsey guarantee not having been paid, and
the promoters listed among the missing.
Tommy Gibbons gave Dempsey, what is prob-
ably the hardest fight of his career; neither scoring
a knock-out.
The attendance at fight was much less than was
expected; only about 10,000 being in attendance.



Getting Ready For The Stampede

As the date approaches for Strath-
more's big Stampede the work of get-
ting ready is pushed ahead, and the
corral, fences, etc., are being looked
after by the grounds committee. Most
of the advertising matter is now out.
Fred Cott, the stampede manager, has
outlined the many trackside riders
who signalled their intention of enter-
ing for the bucking and other mounted
events, and a good bunch of horses
and stiers will be on hand. \$300 is
being offered in prize money in the
various events.
Details of the programme will be
found on the posters, which are now
being put out.

Strathmore School Board

A special meeting of Strathmore
School Board was held in the Town
Hall on Friday evening last. After
some discussion it was decided to
hire a scale teacher for the second
high school, and Mr. H. Crow-
ther, Minister, was offered the po-
sition. No appointment was made for
the vacancy in the lower grades.

New Trustees Elected
Nominations took place on Tuesday
for the vacancy on the Board caused
by the resignations of Trustees
Vicars and Marshall. There were
only two nominations, those of Messrs
J. A. French and P. J. Dunn, and
these two were therefore declared
elected by Returning Officer F. R.
Lilly.

TO INVESTIGATE CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING

Attorney General Brodeur and Hon.
R. G. Reid, as members of the govern-
ment committee on co-operative mar-
keting, will make a tour through the
Pacific Coast States in the early part
of July for the purpose of investi-
gating the co-operative marketing sche-
mes in operation there.

Cheadle

Miss Mary Craig, and Mr. and Mrs.
R. A. Landy, of Calgary, spent the
holiday and weekend at G. D. Craig's.
Mr. and Mrs. Kilron, Ray Miller,
Mr. and Mrs. Wade, Mr. and Mrs.
Waltin, and families spent Sunday at
the river.
The Cheadle school children were
given a picnic at the school on closing
day. There was races and other
sports for the kiddies, after which
supper was served.

Quite a number from here attended
the sports in Langdon on the 2nd of
July.
All the children at the school were
successful in their exams, and Mr.
Bichel is going to teach next term.
The Cheadle Trail Ranners are go-
ing to camp with other Rangers of
the district at the Nanaka farm on the
Bow River on the 25th of July for ten
days.

NEW IRRIGATION DISTRICT

Petitions for the formation of a new
irrigation district to bring about the
irrigation of 15,000 acres in the vicin-
ity of Magrath, have been filed with
the Irrigation branch of the govern-
ment.

Crops Coming Along In Fine Shape

Though there have only been light
showers at Strathmore during the
past week, several parts of the Bow
Valley have had heavy showers. Cars-
eland was nearly flooded last Tuesday
evening, and on Monday night the
storms which raged west of Calgary
brought rain as far east as Anton Pier.
20th.

The June rainfall at Strathmore was
1.62", a figure which has not been
exceeded since 1911.
Wheat is headed out all over the
country, and is an exceptional heavy
stand, as are also other crops. Rye
will be ready for cutting soon. Some
is already being cut for feed.
The editor of this publication has
been out in the country considerably
during the past week, having been as
far north as Carbon, and on every
hand the crops are in perfect con-
dition, and it only requires a few show-
ers between now and harvest to en-
sure a bumper crop, barring extranor-
mal circumstances, such as hail,
frost, or flood. Conditions are pro-
mising, the crop will be the largest
ever harvested in this section of the
country, as the area under cultivation
is larger here than in 1915, or the
two years following.

There has been no damage from hail
in this district so far. Hail, however,
did considerable damage on Sunday
between Okotoks and the boundary,
and damage was also reported near
Ponoka.

Government Crop Report

Throughout the entire province the
condition of the growing crop con-
tinues to be uniformly good. There
has been, since last report, a further
generous supply of moisture in prac-
tically every section, some districts
experiencing very heavy rainfall. The
precipitation for the month of June
to date in various sections of the prov-
ince, has totalled all the way from two
to eight inches.

During the past fortnight cool
weather has accompanied the rains,
but the growth of grain crops has
been satisfactory. From thirty to
fifty per cent. of the wheat is in
the blade, with a stand of from 12
inches to two feet. Oats have reach-
ed a height of from 14 to 18 inches in
some sections.
The hay crop will be rather light.
Harvesting of alfalfa has begun in
the south. The rye crop is approaching
the harvesting stage, but will be light.
Summerfallowing is proceeding un-
der very satisfactory conditions, and
in some districts there is a big in-
crease over last year.

Grasshoppers and cutworms are
causing damage in some of the east-
ern and southern districts, and also
in the Great Slave Triangle district.
While the general damage from these
pests is slight, they are reported to be bad
in some sections on scattered farms.
Slight damage from hail is reported
from two or three districts, chiefly in
the south.

It is too early as yet to issue any
final official estimate of the acreage
in crop, since the census of farmers
taken yearly by the provincial and
federal departments of agriculture
is not yet complete. Preliminary re-
port of the census bureau of the
Dominion department places the wheat
harvest in Alberta at 5,575,000 acres,
an increase over last year's average
of one and a half per cent. There has
been a considerable increase in acre-
age of fodder crops, chiefly in the
south.

PLEASED WITH SEED PLANT

G. S. Clarke, Dominion seed com-
missioner, inspected the provincial
government seed cleaning plant at
Edmonton, last week, and ex-
pressed great approval of the plant.

Standard News

Mr. H. Finke was a business visitor
to Calgary last week.
Mr. B. F. Young who was for the
last month on a visit to his daughter
Mrs. G. F. Young, left last Thursday
for his home in Armstrong, B.C.
Many people were delighted with
the radio concert given by Mr. Gordon
Weir, of Standard, which was broad-
casted from the C.F.C.A. last Satur-
day night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Weir, who
have been teaching in the district
for the past two years, left last Thursday
for New York in August, before de-
parting on Mr. Weir is making a per-
sonal concert tour. They wish friends
take this opportunity of wishing them
every success in the future.

The Standard girls are busy these
days practicing baseball.
The Standard football team were
defeated at Gleichen by that team last
Thursday evening. The score was
3-10. The home team was greatly
handicapped by two of their usual
players being absent.

A farewell supper party was held
at the home of Mr. Henry Larsen last
Wednesday night in honor of Mr. and
Mrs. Gordon Weir. The evening was
spent in playing games. After lunch
Mr. and Mrs. Weir were presented
with a silver case from the home-
coming Standard friends, and Mr. Weir
with a Masonic ring from his pupils of the
past two years. Those present were
Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Weir, Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. L. C.
Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. P. D.
Knowlton, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Mar-
shall, Mrs. J. P. Pringle, and Misses
Annie Larsen, Edna Myrhu, Dorothy
Dickson, Alberta Pringle, Helen Ras-
mussen, Lillian Anderson, Lena Der-
son, Hattie Norman and Messrs C.
Noble, H. A. Graham, Anton Rasmussen,
Ard Rasmussen, Kier Rasmussen,
Elihu Christensen, John Hansen,
Leo Larsen, Willie Myrhu, E. Jensen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorrill have moved into
their new place, vacated by Mr. and
Mrs. Weir. Mr. Gorrill has accepted
the position of principal of the school
for the coming year.

Misses B. Richardson and Miller, of
Indiana, are the guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Elmer Weir, on route to coast
cities, returning to their home in
California and Beaver, Colorado.

Mr. Otto Christensen suffered a
painful injury on Friday when he and
his finger badly cut.

Mr. Penko leaves on Sunday for
Cereel, Alta., to visit with his parents
there. Mrs. Penko will remain with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis
during the summer months.

Nightingale News

At the U.F.A. meeting last Tuesday,
a card of binder twice was ordered
from Mr. Walrod, Rockyford.

Nightingale U.F.W.A. met at the
home of Mrs. G. A. Walker on Satur-
day last. There was a large atten-
dance, and a pleasant and profitable
time was spent.

Valley Gardens school broke up for
the summer holidays on Friday last.
There was no teacher's visit during
last year. The attendance during the
past year was very good, over 90 per
cent or 174 pupils per year.

There were no baptisms at the
church during the past week, and ex-
pressed great approval of the plant.
A big picnic took place last Friday
at the home of Mrs. G. A. Walker. The
children made perfect attendance
marks. Florence and Walden Harri-
son. All the children passed in their
exams. The teacher for this year's
results.

ROCKYFORD NEWS

Fred H. Hunter, Editor, Phones 7 and 25, Rockyford

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Rockyford

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Rockyford Locals

Exam results will be published in next issue.

BIRTH—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harwood, on June 29th, a daughter, BIRTH—To Mr. and Mrs. John Hendricks, on July 1st, a son. Mr. A. H. Eswell, our popular postmaster, has been confirmed in this position.

The postponed Masonic service will be held on June 15th.

FINDING HOMES FOR

HOMELESS CHILDREN

The Superintendent of Dependents and Delinquent Children writes that very frequently his Department has in the various shelters throughout the Province, children ranging from one month to sixteen years, waiting to be placed in desirable homes. The great difficulty at present is to find homes for baby boys. He states: "We have altogether about fifteen baby boys and a few baby girls from one to three months old, to be placed in good homes."

Applications will be dealt with promptly, and further information readily furnished on request, by the Department of Neglected Children, Old Parliament Buildings, Edmonton.

NEW APPOINTMENT

The appointment has been made of H. A. Briggs to be warden of the jail at Lethbridge, succeeding Dr. Rivers, who has retired. Mr. Briggs has been warden at the jail at Fort Saskatchewan.

Rockyford Baseball

Rockyford Breaks Even in Double Header

Accompanied by a number of the local fans, Rockyford Baseball Club participated in Drumheller Monday to Tuesday games. The game was shortened owing to being late in starting, and Carbon figured they had had enough in five innings.

The second game was between Drumheller and Calgary Y.M.C.A., resulting in a win for the Calgary boys by a 3-0 score.

The final game was by far the best of the lot, and was closely fought, the Y.M.C.A. winning over Rockyford by a 4-2 score. It was a splendid game all through, except for a couple errors on the part of one or two of the Rockyford players. One especially was serious enough to allow a couple of runs for the Y's, which might have been prevented if the short stop had not thrown to third base.

Rockyford boys took their defeat cheerfully, however, and as they were fortunate enough to get in two runs in the first half of the ninth, the score ended 4-2 in favor of the Calgary team.

Hits off Giff, seven; errors three; struck out by Giff, six; walked by Giff, four.

Rockyford—Hits off Brown, four; errors four; struck out by Brown, ten; Y.M.C.A. scored on in the first, one in the third, two in the eighth, out of field scored two in the eighth. Batteries: Y.M.C.A., Giff and Savage; Rockyford: Lefty Brown and Miller. Two teams were taken away without a game.

Cleans Up At Calgary

Rockyford baseball team showed the Calgary fans what real baseball is like, when they won three straight victories in the amateur tournament held in the city last week.

The first game was on Wednesday against Riverdale, and even with Jean Thibe stitching, they made eighteen hits and defeated Riverdale by a 13-4 score. Earl Browne pitched the first half of the game, Glickman pitched two innings, and Callahan took the last two innings.

The following evening Rockyford had an easy victory over the Olds team, winning by a 17-4 score. Rockyford got 14 of their runs off Hancock in the first two innings. Callahan pitched the full game. He was afforded good support, and had the game well in hand all the way through. Percy Smith caught a line one-hander out at left field, which is stated to have been one of the greatest ever pitched out at Victoria Park.

On the Friday evening Rockyford completed their succession of victories by showing the Y.M.C.A. team the same lesson. Lefty Brown had the Calgary boys eating out of his hand all evening, and what his boys did get were of the correct variety. Sambores pitched for Calgary.

As a result of the three games Rockyford therefore wins the Calgary amateur tournament.

Rockyford is defending the Triway Cup in a double header against the Valley Hunters on July 15th. The games start at 2:30 and 6:15 p.m. There will be a dance in the evening. The provisions for the cup will take place at the dance.

Someone should frame up a speech for Manager Browne, for this occasion, as his past speeches have been punk.

NEW LINE TO PEACE RIVER

The intention of the Canadian National Railways to build a line into the Peace River from the main line west of Edmonton, was announced by Henry Thomson, president of the National railways. The line will probably be commenced next year, survey parties being in the field this year.

Enrich Your Eyes

through the Daily Use of

MURINE

For Your Eyes



The new motor ferry operated between Victoria, B.C., and Bellingham, Wash., develops a speed of 14 knots in adverse weather. This motor driven vessel, recently launched, is the first of its class to be used in this service and the first to be added to the Canadian Pacific fleet. It has a capacity for 50 auto-

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Here and There

Panama canal tolls for April amounted to \$2,752,217.

About \$2,500,000 is to be spent on the reconstruction of roads and bridges in the province of British Columbia this year.

The Customs and Excise revenue for April amounted to \$2,250,000, an increase of \$1,000,000 over the receipts of April of last year.

Emigrants numbering 15,000 left Scotland for Canada during the first four months of the year, according to consular estimates in Glasgow.

Canadian four has at last been placed on the Panama market. One boat has just loaded the first shipment of any size, 1,600 barrels being taken.

Seventy-five per cent. of the copper produced in Canada in 1922 was the output of British Columbia.

The Canadian production for the year was 32,211,402 pounds, of which British Columbia accounted with 10,121,321 pounds.

The famous Chateau Frontenac husky dog team, remembered by visitors during last winter's sports season, is being perpetuated. One of the dogs has just given birth to three pups, and if the youngsters turn out to be like their parents the Chateau Frontenac team is likely to continue winning dog derbies.

Fishing licenses in the Maritime Provinces have been reduced. The special fishery regulations for Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island have been amended to provide that in many instances the license fee has been more than a dollar it will now be one dollar.

No limit will be set to the help to be offered to new settlers in the agricultural sections of the province according to Premier Tupper.

The latest government provision is to pay colonists at the rate of \$400 per acre for land cleared on their colonization lots since 1920.

\$100,000,000 have been voted for provincial colonization.

The decision of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to scrap agreements of sale with 30,000 Canadian farmers in the west and enter into new contracts with an amortizing basis, will affect approximately 100,000 acres of land valued at \$100,000,000, and relieve many farmers of heavy, pressing debts.

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Abraham Martin, first Scotch settler in Canada, first King's Field on the St. Lawrence and first farmer on the Plains of Abraham, which were named after him, has been honored by the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., at Quebec by the erection of a granite shaft. Hon. Athanasius David, Provincial Treasurer of Quebec, officiated at the unveiling ceremony recently.

Two thousand Canadian old men are expected to participate in the Calgary stampede and to move on to Banff for their celebrations and post-view on the Indian Days, July 16th and 17th, during which the citizens of Banff will act as hosts.

Pony racing, wrestling on horseback, shooting with the bow and arrow, tent-pitching and canoe-walking contests are among the features.

One of the many instances of the splendid work carried out at the Livermore is afforded by the Canadian Pacific liner "Metagama". On a recent arrival at that port she stored the discharge of her cargo and coaling at 6 o'clock in the morning. Allowing for the usual dinner hour, she took on board in her side lockers 1,000 tons of coal, which was completed by 2:45 the same afternoon. At the same time she discharged 1,700 tons of cargo, the greater part of which consisted of passenger freight, completing this operation by 7:15 the same evening.

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Canada Confident of the Future

CANADA is endeavoring to regain her after-the-war stride in the midst of many difficulties,—debt, deflation and depression being some of them.

Quack remedies and academic theories beset her path on every side. Some suggest that our debt worries can best be eased by going further into debt. Others preach blue ruin, deny their own country and indulge in mischievous propaganda generally, while still others look for a new social order or some miscellaneous sign to indicate a better coming day—all this in apparent forgetfulness of the fact that just as there was no royal road to win the war, there is now no royal road to pay for it or regain our former buoyancy, vigor and confidence.

Some are leaving Canada hoping to escape taxation, only to find there is no escape anywhere. In seeking for easy remedies too many of us overlook the fact that the greatest remedy is honest, hard work faithfully and intelligently performed, accompanied by old-fashioned thrift.

It takes time, it takes patience, it takes grit. But every Canadian knows in his heart that Canada is coming through all right.

Our Experience Proves It

Look back over the path Canada has trod. The French Colonists, cut off from civilization by 3,000 miles of sea, faced a continent—a wilderness—without the aid of

even a blazed trail. They had to fight savages, frosts, scurvy, loneliness and starvation.

The United Empire Loyalists subdued an unbroken forest in one generation, growing the first wheat amid the stumps and snags of the new clearing.

The Selkirk settlers came to Manitoba when the prairie was a buffalo pasture, and grew wheat where none had grown before and where those who knew the country best at that time said wheat would never grow.

In proportion to population Canada stands to-day among the wealthiest nations in the world, with savings on deposit per family of the Canada's foreign trade per head of population stands among the highest of the commercial nations, being \$192 per capita in 1922-23, as compared with \$135 in 1912-14, the "peak" year before the war.

New Opportunities for Canada

In Canada, although prices in the world markets fall below war level, our farmers reaped last autumn the largest grain crop in Canadian history, and Canada became the world's largest exporter of wheat, thus in large measure making up for lower prices.

Last year, Great Britain, after an agitation extending over thirty years, removed the embargo on Canadian cattle, and a profitable and practically unlimited trade is opening up for Canadian stockmen and breeders.

"The 20th Century belongs to Canada"—if Canadians keep faith.

The next article will suggest practical opportunities for profit making on our Canadian farms.

Have Faith in Canada

Authorized for publication by the Dominion Department of Agriculture
W. B. NOTHERWELL, Minister, Rev. J. H. CREEDLE, Deputy Minister.

Local Sport News

Strathmore Wins
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SHIRTS

new assortment of Men's Dress Shirts
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Sizes in stock from 14 to 18.
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Is our motto at the King Edward Hotel.

Well furnished bedrooms, steam heat, water,
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The King Edward Grill is the only place to
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Strathmore & Bow Valley
Standard.

Strathmore Wins
From Victorias

Strathmore baseball team broke the
spell of defeat that has been hanging
over them since the beginning of the
season by winning both ends of double
header game played in Strathmore on
Monday Day against Calgary Vi-
torias.

The first game was fairly close
the score being 11-8. The scoring
came in batches, Calgary scoring seven
in the fourth, while the locals notched
six in the fifth innings.

The evening game was a walk-off
for the locals, as they scored fifteen to
their opponents' two.

Teams in the morning were:

Strathmore—Jenkins, 1st b; Venus,
c.; Smith, c.f.; Brown 2nd b; Lusk,
2nd b; Baker, c.; W. Gray, r.f.; A.
Gray, l.f.; Thomas, p.

Victorias—Paltry, s.; Folger, 1st
b; Giffen, p.; Ross, c.; Gidson, c.f.;
Martin, 2nd b; Miles, l.f.; Malkin,
2nd b; Musgrove, r.f.

Score by innings:

Strathmore 8 0 2 2 1 0 0 0—11

Victorias 1 0 0 7 0 0 0—8

Teams for the second game were:

Strathmore—Jenkins, 1st b; Venus,
c.; Baker, s.; Lusk, 2nd b; Lusk,
2nd b; Kimmitt, c.; Thomas, c.f.;
A. Gray, l.f.

Victorias—Paltry, s.; Malkin, 1st
b; Giffen, 2nd b; Miles, l.f.; Gidson,
c.f.; Martin, 2nd b; Engel, c.f.;
Smith, r.f.; Ross, p.

Score by innings:

Strathmore 1 8 0 2 1 0 0 0—12

Victorias 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2

The side lines provided some of the
amusement in the afternoon game,
when the local coach and a Calgary
man anticipated the fourth of July
serp, and put on a one-round en-
counter. Harmony was restored, how-
ever, and the game went on.

Tie Game With
Carseland

Strathmore and Carseland played
one of their schedule games in the
Bow Valley League on Tuesday even-
ing, the game resulting in a tie, with
a 10-10 score. Teams ran evenly all
the way along.

Teams were:

Strathmore, Venus 2nd b; Brown,
2nd b; Smith, c.; Lusk, p.; A. Gray,
l.f.; W. Gray, r.f.; Thomas, c.f.;
Jones, 1st b.

Carseland, Gerke, 1st b; Mac-
coss, 2nd b; Benton, 2nd b;
Stinson, c.; Dick, c.; Lausen, l.f.;
Moore, r.f.; Baker, p.

Score by innings:

Strathmore 2 1 1 0 2 1 0 1—10

Carseland 0 2 0 0 4 1 0 2—10

Quid pro quo.—An American received
back from Canada on a Pullman ex-
press one of the best known jetties which
Lugan is imported by Customs of
foreign, had five quarters of which in
his travelling bag, which he desired
very much to keep. He covered four
of them in the bottom of the bag and
placed the fifth on top with a ten dollar
bill wrapped around it, and then
retired to the smoking room and tried
to enjoy a cigar.

In the gentleman occupying lower
six in here" soon inquired an officer,
appearing in the doorway.

"I'm the man," spoke up the owner
of the bag. "Well the lady in upper six had two
quarters in her suit case and you'll find
them in your bag now."

—Jules

CALGARY STAMPEDE
AND EXHIBITION

Meeting on these wild thrills and
sensations, automobile races will again
be a feature attraction of the big Cal-
gary Stampede and Exhibition. Satur-
day, July 11, has been set aside for
automobile and auto race day and
consequently the fact that every day in
every way the Exhibition gets bigger
and bigger. Saturday, the last day
before the close of the fair, will
feature a wild ride of speed and
exciting races.

Official sanction for the meet has
been granted by the International
Motor Vehicle Association, the com-
mittee which issues sanction to
all races, and the dirt track on
which will be held in the world.

The Calgary track is latest as official on
the record books and it notes the dis-
tinction of being the first track on
which a top was turned in thirty sec-
onds flat. Due to the excellence of the
track and the large purses and
the attractive trouble that are being
placed this year, the Calgary event
should draw the largest number of
international known big boys of the
circuit that have ever been seen on a
Canadian track.

Golf News

A team of golfers, including five
lady players, drove to Gleichen Sat-
urday to take part in a team meet-
ing at the invitation of the Gleichen Golf
Club. The kind welcome accorded
them, and the beauty of the links were
most inspiring, and all looked for-
ward to a delightful match, which,
however, was cut short by a smart
down-pour of rain. Quite a number of
the players seeking shelter of the
club house with their games uncom-
pleted.

Mrs. Yates and a large number of
members of the club extended its hos-
pitality and dispensed afternoon tea
to the players.

It was there that the Strathmore
group realized what an asset a shelter-
ing club house, however small,
might be.

The visiting players took their de-
parture after expressing, through Mrs.
Patrick, their appreciation of the af-
ternoon's entertainment, and extend-
ing an invitation for a return trip to
Strathmore.

The score of points, as they stood
when the rain descended, was 9 points
to 7 in Strathmore's favor.

Next Saturday, July 11th, both the
men's and women's handicap com-
petition for balls will be played. En-
terprise for the Sunday for which we
cannot play on Saturday.

STRATHMORE TENNIS

STARS LOSE TO THE

SAINTS IN TOURNEY

Defeating Strathmore 10 games to
6 the St. Michael's Tennis Club gained
a victory in their annual tournament
at the North Hill course with the out-
come of the day. All the games were hard
fought and exceedingly close, the
entire affair, due to the management
of President Mulvin and secretary
Morrison, was carried off without a
hitch.

Men's Doubles

Baldwin and Morrison (Calgary) de-
feated Van Buren and Rawlings
(Strathmore), 2 to 1; Rowe and Van
Buren, Strathmore, defeated Davidson
and Jones (Calgary), 2 to 0; Scott
and James (Calgary) defeated Latt
and Scheer (Strathmore), 2 to 1;
Vicars and Van Buren, (Strathmore)
defeated W. Jones and Morrison, 2 to
0; Baldwin and Scott defeated Latt
and Rawlings, 1 to 0; Abbott and
Davidson defeated Latt and Rowe, 2
to 0; Van Buren and Rawlings,
(Strathmore) defeated Collins and
Jarrett, 1 to 0.

Ladies' Doubles

Miss Gillespie and Miss "Tiller" de-
feated Miss James and Mrs. Rawlings,
2 to 1; Mrs. Giffin and Miss Margaret
(Strathmore) defeated Mrs. Baldwin
and Miss Dawson (Calgary), 2 to 0.

Mixed Doubles

Mr. and Mrs. Wordie (Calgary) de-
feated Miss Watson and Moore, 2 to
0; Mr. and Mrs. Watts defeated Vic-
cars and Miss Margaret, 2 to 0; R.
Jones and Mrs. Wordie (Calgary) de-
feated Rawlings and Mrs. Jones,
2 to 1; Mr. and Mrs. Watts defeated
Vicars and Miss Margaret, 2 to 1; Latt
and Miss Margaret, (Strathmore) de-
feated Morrison and Miss Dawson, 1 to
0; Vicars and Mrs. Rawlings defeated
Miss Gillespie and W. Jones, 1 to 0;
Mr. and Mrs. Watts defeated Rowe and
Mrs. Giffin, 1 to 0.

During the recent floods up the
Crow's Nest Pass a good story is be-
ing told. It appears that a big road
way official was walking around in the
hottest recent heat of Coleman, try-
ing to locate what was once his mill
road. He met a government
highway official also plugging
through the lake trying to locate his
highway, or what had once been the
site of his road. They both ran into
a policeman standing delectably and
formally up to his hips in water and
water and entirely surrounded by rain,
which was running out of his eyes,
nose, and all the time he was
being grimly on to a piece of chain.

"What in the dickens are you doing
out here?" said the highway official.
"I'm on my way to the mill," said the
other. "I see that you are down here
to see that no automobiles come down
here from D.C. with buses on board."

"Why man," said the roadmaker,
"the only way buses could come down
here is by submarine or by the
belly of a fish."

"What's that?" said the highway man.
"That's no bus," said the man on guard,
"the dam water has gone and washed
away my bridge, and I've got to stay
here and hold this blasted chain, as
I've nothing to do."

"Holy smoke," said the highway
man, "the country's safe, thank heav-
en—We have a way!"

Rosebud News

Mrs. Wm. Hopper has moved into
one from the Graham farm, and
Mrs. A. F. Thompson is in Red
Deer.

More high water in the Serviceberry
creek from the rain on Tuesday had
resulted in the apprehension of some of
the bridges being washed away.

Some More Good Buys

at the
Strathmore Trading Coy.New Linoleums Just in
AT LESS THAN CALGARY PRICES

\$1.00 SPECIALS

at the Dry Goods
Counter.

3 yds. good Flannel-
ette

\$1.00

5 yds. Gingham

\$1.00

3 yds. good quality

\$1.00

Denims

\$1.00

3 yds. Fancy Dress

\$1.00

To clear Ladies and

\$1.00

Childrens Hats

\$1.00

Gramophone Records,

\$1.00

2 for

\$1.00

\$1.00 SPECIALS

at the Grocery
Counter

11lbs No. 1 Rice for

\$1.00

1lb Our Special Tea &

\$1.00

1 large tin sockeye

\$1.00

6 cans Carnation Milk

\$1.00

6lbs Seedless Raisins

\$1.00

6lbs large Prunes

\$1.00

9 Hachels Corn Starch

\$1.00

8lbs Sugar

\$1.00

Strathmore Trading Coy.

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Phone 18

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SCREEN DOORS, FLY SWATTERS, WATERING

CANS, RAKES, GARDEN TOOLS

of the Best Kinds.

— FARMERS —

Look over your Harvest Needs now before the rush.

Strathmore Hardware

Phone 54

A. B. Foote

Mrs. A. A. Anderson and Zola
have returned to the Shultz ranch.
Maxine attended school in Iowa dur-
ing the winter.

It's just here! What? The U.F.A.
District Association picnic, to be held
in the Viger woods, just south of the
bridge on July 11th.

Fred A. Campbell, of the National
Electric Company, Redway, visited at
the home of his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. John Campbell recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne have returned
to their home, "Bury View" after
staying two weeks with his daughter,
Mrs. Foster.

Mrs. H. Jones, Mrs. McElrath and
Mrs. L. H. Jones visited Mrs. Foster
Wednesday.

Mrs. C. H. Constock visited Mrs. A.
Laid for a few days in Irricana
last week. Patsy Lester and Charles
were there Sunday.

We understand a few farmers near
here had some wheat cut by hail last
Friday to the extent of from seven to
fifteen per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brunner and
babe were visitors at the Fred Stock
ton place near Dumbeller Sunday.

Miss H. B. Canning who taught in
the Grasswood school since Xmas
went to Calgary Thursday evening and
was married to Mr. Frank Gold, of
Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. McCollister, of St.
Paul, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. D.
W. Deweller.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne have a child,
quinta Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Gilbey
and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Laid are in the
city, having returned with their
daughter, Mrs. L. H. Jones, Mrs. Jones
has been visiting her parents for some
time.

U.F.A. Basket Picnic

Serviceberry District Association Loc.
als, Baintre, Ardenode, Rockford,
Standard, Tudor, Nightingale, Rose
bud, at

Rosebud, Alberta

VIGAR FARM, EAST OF VILLAGE

on

Saturday, July 11th

PROGRAMME OF SPORTS

Baseball, Tag of War, Rosebud con-
tenders the rest of the district.

Box of chocolates for the best cake
at the picnic.

Tea and coffee supplied free.

Ice Cream and Soft Drinks at home.

Proceeds to Go to District
Association.

EVERYBODY COME AND HAVE A
GOOD TIME.



A new range of Warner Corsets just to hand. Back laced. An inexpensive and good wearing corset. **\$1.25 to \$3.50**

A Special In GOSSARD CORSET

Regular price \$5.25
SPECIAL \$2.95

Ladies PORCH and HOUSE DRESSES

Made of Gingham, Crepe and Satin, on the long straight line trimmed with braid and organdie.
Prices **\$2.50 to \$5.00**

Childrens ROMPERS and DRESSES With Bloomers

Nicely trimmed with Yellow and Blue Satin.
Prices **\$1.50, \$2.00, and \$2.25**

Childrens APRON DRESSES

Made of Chambray, trimmed with check Gingham. Price 75c

STRONG WORK CLOTHES AND SHOES



Overalls and Work Shirts

G.W.G. Bib Overalls, plain blue, black, or stripe. The heavy weight **\$2.25**

Combination Overalls, khaki **\$3.25**

Heavy weight blue denim **\$3.95**

G.W.G. WORK SHIRTS

are roomy and comfortable, made in good range of colours. Prices range from **\$1.25 to \$2.50**

BOYS' KNICKERS

A fresh supply just to hand, made from Molekskin and tweed cloth. Price **\$2.95**

Shoes and Pants

The Greb Work Shoe, made from a nice soft brown Elk, will stand up to real hard wear, all sizes, price **\$4.95**

The Greb Prospector Boot, 10 inches high, a fine mellow brown Elk hide, all sizes, price **\$7.50**

WORK PANTS

Black or Blue Denim, heavy weight **\$1.95**

Molekskin Pants. You can't heat them for hard wear. **\$3.95**

Corduroy Pants. The kind that looks well and lasts a long time, price **\$4.95**

Khaki Drill Pants, heavy weight **\$2.75**

Grocery Department

Cream of Malt (Malted Barley), large size **\$1.75**
Sweets, Downy Cakes **48c**
Flour **48c**
Raisins, Seedless, 2 pounds **35c**
Currants, rehydrated, 2 pounds **45c**
Ginger Snaps, lb. **20c**
Thin Arrowroot Biscuits, lb. **38c**
Vanilla or Lemon Extracts, McLaughlin's 2 oz. **15c**
4 oz. **25c**
8 oz. **45c**
Molasses, 2 oz. **56c**

Shure-Whip for whipping ordinary cream **25c**
Curry Powder, per bottle **20c**
Perfect Seal Fruit Jars, quart, per dozen **\$1.55**
Improved Jem, quart per dozen **\$1.55**
Pure Rubber Jar Rings, set to six hours, 3 pkts. **25c**
Ready-Cut Macaroni in waxette seal packets **10c**

We sell Certo, the concentrated fruit pectin. Why boil away your preserves when you can get at least 50 per cent. more Jam or Jelly from the same amount of fruit.

Mop Polish, Regular 30 for **20c**

Sage's White Furniture Cream, per bottle **50c**

Electro Silicon Silver Polish, tin **15c**

Bananas, 2 lbs. **35c**

New Australian Onions, 4 lbs. **35c**

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dobson have the former's mother and niece with them on a visit over the Calgary Stampede.

On Saturday, June 26, a pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. Oscar Macdonald, Carleton Place, who entertained the young people of the community, consisting of her Sunday School class, the G.I.T. and Taxis boys, being shyly invited by Mrs. Field and Mrs. G. B. Field, also having the capable assistance of Rev. and Mrs. Landolt.

WANTED—Live correspondents for Carleton and Bowsher districts. Know the news of your district better than the other people in the Bow Valley. Write the Standard for particulars.

Strathmore U.F.A. held a largely attended meeting in the Oddfellows hall on Saturday evening, at which the report of the members appointed to take part in the discussion on C.P.R. Land contracts was heard. The farmers' proposals call for remission of interest from 1918, and a new contract on a twenty year basis, to be made up in 1925.

LADIES AID MEET

The Union Church Ladies Aid held two very enjoyable meetings during the month of June.

The "weather man" was against them at the time of the first meeting, but with the aid of several men with cars, a goodly number were present to share the hospitality of Mrs. Scher, Mrs. H. G. Scher, and family, their "Valley View Farm," nine miles east of Strathmore.

After the close of the business session, Mrs. Zerkle took charge of the program. Mrs. Girvin read a paper, "Some Remarkable Feats of Memory," and in the musical program Mrs. H. G. Scher, Mrs. H. G. Scher, and family, their "Valley View Farm," nine miles east of Strathmore.

The second meeting, at "Mount Pleasant," the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Way, the "weather man" was again against them, but with the car was pressed into service, and a splendid attendance is recorded.

After routine business, Mrs. Stuchton, in charge of the program, Miss Mary Cope read a paper on the "Bible and Life-work of Lydia," the last-mentioned woman in the Bible, and Mrs. Dawson read a biographical sketch of Miss Bertha Gray, one of our Canadian singers with a golden voice, born in Ellersdale, Ontario.

At the conclusion of the program, a picnic lunch was served on the lawn.

The following committees have been appointed to help carry on the work of the Ladies Aid for the year: Visiting—Mesdames Tompkins, Zerkle, Girvin, Smith, and Van Buren.

Flowers—Mesdames DeWitt, Stockton, and Garrett.

Banquet—Mesdames Fouts, Girvin, Scher, and Miss Cope.

Entertainment—Mesdames Howe, Hrivie, Todd, and Smith.

Membership—Mesdames Way, H. F. Anderson, and North.

Finance—Mesdames Jenkins, Jones, Hall.

Publicity—Mrs. Hall.

The regular meeting for July 2 will be called at 8 p.m. and all members urged to attend Women's Institute luncheon by Miss Anderson, of the Government Extension Service.

The next meeting, July 25th, will be held at the home of Mrs. E. V. Todd.

T. W. McKenry, Canadian Pacific Railway agent at Rocky Mountain, Alberta, has received letters patent on a device for the purpose of locking automobiles. It is a contrived device which when switched on, the car is automatically locked, thereby eliminating the possibility of an owner leaving his car unprotected. The device cannot be operated nor the car started by an unauthorized person without causing an alarm.

The number of persons killed or injured while trespassing on railway tracks were 50 per cent. less in 1922 than the average of the preceding fifteen years. The figures are 5,400 for nine months of 1922 compared with 10,736, the average for the previous year, according to an announcement made by the Safety Section of the American Railroad Association. This reduction in casualties is claimed to be due to the improved policing by the roads and to success of the Safety First movement.

From September 1 to March 31 inclusive, the Canadian Pacific Railway has transported to Vancouver 5,642 cars of grain, representing 11,668,228 bushels. Last year during the same period the moving of 2,502 cars or 5,007,632 bushels. From the beginning of the crop season 19,717,320 bushels had been exported from Vancouver, of which 11,950,400 went to the United Kingdom, 2,242,360 to America. Last year during the same period export amounted to 5,000,000 bushels.

Local Hottings

OF LOCAL INTEREST
• Readers are requested to send in items for publication not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon.
• preceding day of publication. All local news items are welcomed.
• By the Standard, Phone 17 or 24.

Dr. L. G. Robinson, who was announced to commence dental practice at the beginning of July, has unfortunately been so in company with his family. He will probably be recovered and able to commence practice here by the middle of July.

Mr. A. D. Shrimpton, of the Strathmore Trading Co., left for Kenna last week to bring his car through from there. Owing to bad roads he has been held up, but expects to arrive back in Strathmore today.

Tudor aquatic sports will be held on July 6th. The committee has arranged a fine programme. These sports have been held for several years past, and the events are always good and well contested. They are held at the Jim Hennie Farm, southwest of Tudor.

The joint service of Rockyford and Strathmore Masonic Lodge, which was to have been held on June 24th, had to be postponed on account of the weather, and will take place at Rockyford on July 15th.

Fred Codd says he has secured 46 of the most fertile and wildest acre that can be found for the High Strathmore Stampede on July 19, also 45 acres, so that the last obstacle to a good stamped-out rodeo is removed.

Mr. Fred Codd has rented Mr. F. O. Bourke's residence on Sixth Street.

Mr. A. Lazell conducted a successful sale of household furniture for Mr. F. O. Bourke on Saturday last. Prices were reported good.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Marshall and family left Strathmore for High River on Monday.

Mr. W. C. Brown motored down to Shelby, Montana, leaving on Sunday, to take in the big hunt on the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Berry, of Scarborough Avenue Methodist Church, have left Calgary for Canmore shortly, where they will have a farewell reception at the church on one evening last week, and high tribute was paid Mr. Berry for his work in the Strathmore. Mr. Berry is a former pastor of Strathmore Union Church, and has many friends here.

Rev. Henry Horvick, who is the new Methodist pastor at Canmore, visited with Rev. and Mrs. A. E. How on his way through from his former station. Mr. Horvick is a brother-in-law of Mr. John A. McDonald, C.P.R. agent at Carbon.

Mrs. Jack Thompson and family left on Saturday on a two months visit to Nelson, B.C.

A farewell party to several Strathmore residents, who are leaving for other parts was given in the Union Church on Friday evening, those included in the farewell being Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Marshall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dorts and family, Mrs. Dawson and Miss Dawson, Mrs. Eves and family.

Miss Eva Pope has resigned from the Strathmore Telephone exchange staff to take up similar duty at the Rockyford Exchange. Strathmore's loss is Rockyford's gain. We expect to see someone, locally, investing in a car now.

Mr. F. H. Morgan, of the staff of the Lehigh Northern Irrigation project, spent Dominion Day in Strathmore, visiting with Mrs. Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. George T. Berry. He states that there are looking very good in the south country.

Dick Van Tishen, nephew of Mr. Jos. Van Tishen, was also a weekend visitor in Strathmore.

A street sweep on Saturday night resulted in the participants being fined \$10 and costs appear before Justices Lambert and Vickery on Tuesday.

Measer Miller Clemen has over 200 acres in peas, corn, and alfalfa on their farm, two miles south of Rockyford, and it shows every appearance of making a big crop. These two farmers are among the leaders in the Bow Valley in trying out the new ideas in farming, and their operations have been attended with success.

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It Pays To Pay Cash At Fox's

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Strathmore Meat Market

The Cook Knows

Good cuts and the fine qualities of meats. It doesn't matter whether you are a judge or not if you BUY OUR MEATS for we grant the same prompt courtesy to every patron.

Our buyers are good judges, and all the Meat we offer you is GOOD MEAT



Cott & Gardner

THE CASH BUTCHERS

Phone 40

Strathmore, Alta.

NEXT WEEK WITH THE CHURCHES

Sunday, July 1st, 1923.

NAMAKA—Combined service beginning with Bible School at 11 o'clock. H. A. Kopy, sup.

Episcopal service with special music and address by the pastor.

CITIZENS—Bible study at 2:30 o'clock. W. T. Hickel, sup.

Episcopal service with special music and address by the pastor.

HERVEY—Public Worship at 2:30 o'clock.

STRATHMORE—Bible school for all ages at 11 o'clock. W. G. Way, sup.

Public worship at 7:30 p.m. Special Patriotic service. The pastor will preach on the subject: "Jesse and Patriotism."

Mr. C. A. Elliott will sing. Every one not attending elsewhere is cordially invited to our services. "The Church is the State's hope of stability."

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ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS' CHURCH

Services for July, 1923.

July 1st, 8:30 a.m., Holy Communion, Strathmore.

11:30 a.m., Matins, Carleton Place, weather permitting, at the river.

7:30 p.m., Evensong, Strathmore.

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ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

1st Sunday of month, Mass at 11 a.m. Carleton Place 8 a.m. Strathmore 11 a.m.

2nd Sunday of month, Mass at 11 a.m. Carleton Place 8 a.m. Strathmore 11 a.m.

Rev. J. E. DUGGAN, Pastor

GRAIN PRICES

June 19, 1923.

The following grain prices are for grain by wagonload at Strathmore, not truck prices, and for information on the spot only. Prices are made up by Mr. T. H. Eves, of the Hobbs Hood Elevator.

No.	Wheat	Price
1	2	58
2	3	57
3	4	57
Oats		
1	2	37
2	3	37
3	4	37
Flax		
1	2	32
2	3	32
Barley		
1	2	20
2	3	19
Rye		
1	2	45
2	3	44

Weather Report

June 26th to July 2nd

Supplied by C. P. Irrigation Dept.
Date Min. Max. Precipitation

June 19th to 25th, 1923.	Min.	Max.	Precip.
19	49.2	69.8	.03
20	46.2	68.2	.03
21	46.2	68.2	.03
22	50.2	68.2	.03
23	50.2	72.8	.03
24	52.2	72.8	.03
25	54.2	76.8	.03

INTERNAL ELEVATOR FOR EDMONTON

Preliminary estimates have been introduced in the commons at Ottawa, for the commencement of construction of an internal government grain elevator at Edmonton, which, it is expected, will eventually cost in the neighborhood of one million dollars.

VOLUNTARY WHEAT POOL

Announcement is made that an effort is to be made by the U.F.A. organization to organize a voluntary wheat pool for the marketing of wheat.

Irricana News

Mr. Fred Horton, who is farming south of town has purchased the quarter section adjoining him, and is busy developing the land.

The once prosperous commercial town to the north is seriously contemplating changing the name to "New Jerusalem."

Mr. W. Elliott, Mr. Fred Davis, and Mr. H. Miller were Calgary visitors during the week.

Miss Stella Ewing is enjoying a holiday at her father's farm.

Miss Maud Kernick, of the Drumheller teaching staff, is visiting the home of her brother, Frank.

Mr. Spad P. Murphy, and Mrs. P. P. McManus have liberally subscribed to the Prohibition fund.

The roof of Mr. McManus barn was slightly dislodged owing to the high wind storm on Thursday night.

Rev. A. Waples Smith, of Assiniboia, conducted the services on Sunday last at the Union Church. A large attendance was present.

The church of the Brethren are holding open services at their commodious church during the week.

Constable and Mrs. Naylor motored to Aldridge on Sunday.

The two bridges spanning the Rosebud creek adjoining Mr. Copley, and Mr. James Hay's farms, have been condemned by the provincial bridge inspector and will be closed to traffic. We feel sure the economic enthusiasts at Edmonton will make a special effort to have the bridges in question put to rest by the end of the next provincial election.

A picnic party was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Marie Reynolds, on the silver sands of the large lake on the ranch of Mrs. Reynolds' father. Mrs. Mary Hay made a charming assistant to the hostess and profitably enjoyed the tea.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCulloch motored to Calgary on Tuesday. William has announced he will dispose of his ranch by public sale to the visitors of the fifth of November.

Mrs. Andrew Archibald had a number of visitors from Rosebud on Sunday.

Speed on Glorious Fifth. Bootleg booze throughout Manitoba, has decreased 100 per cent, since the election by some 6,000 declared themselves in favor of Government control.

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(With apologies to Flair)

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She knows every man who is mean to his wife,
She knows the excuses each fellow gives,
She knows every girl who is chasing the boys,
She knows every woman who has a dark past,
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In fact there's a secret 'neath each sneaky curl,
Of that quiet, demure-looking Telephone Girl,
If the telephone girl would tell all she knows,
It would turn all our friends into bitterest foes;
She'd start a small wind that would sweep in a gale,
And engulf us in trouble and land us in jail,
She could let go a story which gaining in force,
Would cause half our wives to sue for divorce,
She would get all the churches mixed up in a fight,
And turn all our days into sorrowing nights,
In fact, she could keep all the world in a stew
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VOLUNTARY POOL PROPOSED

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The attempt to form a wheat board having failed, largely owing to the refusal of Manitoba to come in, an attempt is being made to form a voluntary wheat pool, with Alberta farmers, and probably those of Saskatchewan.

It is stated that the heads of the U.F.A. have agreed on a plan, and that this will be submitted shortly.

A wheat pool is a very desirable and a very necessary thing, but it requires co-operation among the farmers to make it successful. It will also mean that the farmers participating would probably not receive all the payment for their grain at the moment of sale, but would have to wait some time for their returns.

If they are prepared to do this, there is hope for an intelligent system of wheat disposal.

There is no reason why the farmer should not receive the full value of his own grain. The only reason he has not done so before is that a large proportion of the farmers have not paid attention to wheat marketing methods, or they have not confidence in the men who are leading the farmer movement.

DOMINION DAY

On Monday, July 16, 1923, the people of this Dominion from the Atlantic to the Pacific will celebrate the fifty-fifth birthday of this Dominion. On July 1st, 1867, the Province of Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, Quebec and Ontario were declared a nation with full powers to elect a responsible government. Our development since that date has been one of the wonders of the world, the five original provinces have been added to by Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia. The development in public works, transportation facilities, manufacturing and commercial enterprises has been greater in the Dominion of Canada than that of any other equal number of people. Canada today are difficult, but overcoming difficulties has been one of the characteristics of the Canadian people.

A prominent politician, of Calgary, speaking, declared that never before in the history of Canada was there so great a need of really big men in the House of Commons and Legislature. He said that the men of the future must have vision, and must have vision. Too long have politicians who always have their ear to the ground, held sway, and what we need are men who do not hunt the wind, but who stand with the land and change their color with every wind that blows.

He contended that every citizen is in duty bound to state plainly and truthfully his stand on the question of the present Alberta Liquor Act, whether he believes the present law can successfully deal with liquor control or whether he favors a Moderation Act that will successfully cope with the bootlegging situation of Alberta.

Heavy Raintall
To The North-West

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Locusts, Irrigators, and Decker had the heaviest rainfall they have ever experienced on Monday night. There was an inch and a half rain in a couple of hours. No damage was done except to the roads which have been in bad shape for a fortnight. The farmers are expecting the biggest crop ever harvested around Decker. Peter Beaman today brought into town a sample of wheat headed out 26 inches in height. He has 220 acres all of the same quality.

St. Michael and All Angels Church

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July 16th, 8:30 a.m., Holy Communion, Strathmore.
11:30 a.m., Holy Communion, Nightingale.
3:30 p.m., Evensong, Nightingale.
7:30 p.m., Evensong, Strathmore.

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WHO ARE THE PESSIMISTS

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Only two or three months ago several of the western members of parliament were being loudly, almost unanimously accused of pessimism because of the picture they painted of present western conditions, or at least of conditions as they have obtained during the past two years. There was little in the description given by these men that was overdrawn, as far as concerns the particular districts they represented.

But who are the pessimists now? Not the farmers or their representatives, for they are making every preparation to harvest what has every appearance of being the largest crop ever taken off the soil of Western Canada.

It is the professional grain men who are now acting the part of Jeremiah. They declare that the world market cannot absorb the magnificent crop that is now in prospect, and that therefore the prices are bound to drop. This tale is repeated every year about this time. It was heard last year. Now last year's is all taken up with the expectation of probably 20,000,000 bushels.

There is no doubt that the coming crop will be absorbed. Every crop of wheat raised in the world has been absorbed. The big question is whether it will absorb the profits. The farmers have the remedy in their own hands if they only apply it. Canada's wealth is in her agricultural production. The farmers control that production. If they sold the crop as well as raised it they could feed it out to the world's market as the situation requires. Farming cannot pay unless the price received for farm products equals the cost of production, and it is for the farmer to see that the price he receives does meet the cost of production.

But not alone for the farmer, those who live in our towns and cities throughout the west are as much affected by the price of farm products as the farmers themselves. They cannot make a profit unless the farmer does. We are sorry, therefore to see that very little interest is shown among the urban dwellers in the question of wheat marketing. It is a big question than any other before us today. Surely, among the business men of the west there is enough ability to assist the farmers' leaders to devise a scheme which will meet the disabilities under which agriculture suffers today.

THE LONG, LONG TRAIL

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On the long, long trail, where the morning's sun creeps up the winding vale,
And birds sing sweet and cheerful
In many a meadowy vale,
When a cool wind blows, that with the leaves with sweetly scented breath,
And the trail leads through a happy land—the Paradise of Earth.

On the long, long trail, leads to-day's sun, on a plain that's wide and lone,
And the wind blows hard this way and that as I struggle on and on,
On the upward way that's often rough,
And sometimes hard to find—
The path that leads to the far off goal someone in Manhood's land.

On the long, long trail, at close of day, when evening's sun is low,
On a path that leads up the rugged steep that I climb with footstep slow,
When the night bird calls, the air is chill, and starless night comes down
On a trail that's lost in the unmaped land—the land of the Great Unknown.

Then a presence comes, and through the night he keeps close by my side,
Through darkest hours in Him I trust,
My faithful, unseen guide;
The daylight comes! The morning sun shines bright on gates of pearl,
My journey's o'er, my rest I've won,
At the end of the Long, Long Trail.

—E. C. Crawley, Irricana.

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Weaver and The Wheat Board

Editor, Strathmore Standard.

My attention is called to the letter of Mr. Henson, published in the Standard of June 20th, in which he takes exception to what he terms "destructive criticism" advanced by me in my recent lecture before the Strathmore U.P.A. local. Mr. Henson possesses two admirable qualities, definite convictions and the courage to back them. Convictions, however, to be worth while should be the result of impartial study and investigation of facts. Mr. Henson and I differ and hence one of us must be wrong and quite possibly both. He states that I declared Mr. Wood to be lacking in ability. I made no such statement. I fully conceded Mr. Wood's ability, but regard it as latent when judged by the record of the past three years during which no practical, permanent plan of marketing has been forthcoming. I am not willing to concede to Mr. Wood the only plausible excuse he can advance for the inaction of the past three years. Mr. Henson agrees with me in this stand. After answering a number of questions put to me by Mr. Henson at the conclusion of my lecture, I was content to ask but three in return, as follows: "Do you believe Messrs. Crean, Rice-Jones, Landry, Riddell, Musselman and Wood possess the knowledge and ability to draft a practical, permanent plan for marketing? Do you agree with Mr. Wood in his declaration that the absence of a practical marketing plan during the past three years has cost the Canadian farmer \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000 annually?" To both of these questions Mr. Henson answered in the affirmative. "Then granting their undoubted ability," I asked, "is it not in order to criticize their inaction which you conceded has resulted in a loss of \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000 to farmers?" "No," he answered. "The only reason for their failure to do so," Mr. Henson failed to mention in his letter to the Standard, including his failure to answer them.

Mr. Henson next takes exception to my criticism of Mr. Wood in offering

the chairmanship of the 1922 wheat board to Messrs. Stewart, McFarland, and Richardson. Mr. Stewart, two weeks previous to our convention, had been elected president of the May 1st Milling Company of a salary of \$2,000 per year. It is also one of the largest executives in the Western Grain Exchange. Mr. McFarland is president of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company. Mr. Richardson is president of the Richardson Grain Company. His father and grandfather are in the large interests he now represents. The point is that all three of these gentlemen, aside from their personal interests, owe a distinct moral duty to the stockholders they represent. In light of this indisputable fact, could they be expected to lay off for a year's holiday in an attempt to wreck their own interests which had taken a lifetime of effort to secure, and also desert the stockholders they were elected to represent? What was the reply to the chairmanship offered? Only what could reasonably be expected, Mr. McFarland, in his declaration was a little further, asserting that the success of the plan "depended upon the cooperation of private grain interests." His opinion was concurred in by Mr. Murray of the U.G.S. who was chosen to act with him. And the deplorable fact is that they were right. Mr. Wood had endorsed a plan, the success of which called for the hearty cooperation of the very element sought to be eliminated. A fine nest of cats! No wonder Messrs. Crean and Rice-Jones, after two years' successful dodging of the issue, and when the board seemed to be assured for 1922, were driven in the open at last and at the eleventh hour were compelled to submit the plan to be "financial and illusory." This, after two years' editorials in the "Guide," practically all of which furthered the wheat board idea. And there the plan stood, a monument to evasion and political laziness, a successful smoke screen to save, businesslike marketing methods. The echo of the convention was echoed by Mr. Henson. "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," was heard yesterday in the published collapse of the 1922 wheat board makeshift. If we are to continue in the future as in the past, our conventions should adopt an opening chorus, the song, "We Don't Know Where We're Going But We're On Our Way," to be followed by "Go Slow And Easy." I can hear Mr. Henson's tender, clear and fervent above the whole multitude.

I openly criticized Mr. Wood in devoting only five minutes discussion on the one dominant problem in the minds of the 1400 delegates who faced him in the 1922 convention. Bare five minutes. After an hour devoted to his "Annual Address" in which he sidestepped the question of cooperative marketing, he was called on the carpet at the insistence of the delegates and asked to declare his stand. He advised them to vote for a plan of marketing previously declared unconstitutional by Attorney General Brownlee. But not one word of caution as to the evident probability of the federal law office agreeing in with Mr. Brownlee's view. Not one word of discussion as to the details of the proposed plan. Note the result. The law office agreed with Mr. Brownlee in the illegality of the plan, which was immediately followed by an indignant interview by Mr. Wood, published in the Morning Alberta of April 25, 1922, part of which is as follows: "I think this is a clear demonstration of the attitude of the east toward the west. It may be that the west can be persuaded that it has been dealt with openly and fairly in this matter, but when our provinces are young, they are not inhibited by children entirely." Here the inference is plain that only a child could be expected to request as fair a decision in which Mr. Brownlee and the federal law office agreed. Rather tough on Mr. Brownlee. Not one word to Mr. Wood's interviewer, mind you, of the Brownlee decision submitted to Mr. Rice-Jones prior to Mr. Wood's evident neglect to a court prior to the 1922 convention, the legal opinions of our leading national authorities on a constitutional law sustaining the legality of the proposed plan, a question daily mooted in the press prior to the convention. I challenge Mr. Wood to show where he secured a single opinion of national authority sustaining his view in either that plan or the present one. It is well to remember that the federal law office in the opinion of Deputy Minister of Justice, Mr. Newcombe, merely stated that our provinces "might" possess the power to enact a compulsory marketing plan. In the words of the illustrious Florian Stanger, that connotes the character of Octavius Roy Cohen "might also be." And that was exactly what Mr. McFarland meant when he stated that the success of the plan would depend upon the cooperation of private grain interests. Compelling farmers to market their grain

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